



Randy's Reflection Happy Mother's Day

Every parent wonders if they are raising their children well. We do our best and include the Lord in our parenting, and it is Mom, more often than not, who points our children in the direction of the Lord, and often, they wonder, "Is what I'm doing enough?"

A mother, wishing to encourage her young son's progress at the piano, bought tickets for a Paderewski (Poland's famous concert pianist) performance. When the night arrived, they found their seats near the front of the concert hall and eyed the majestic Steinway waiting on stage.

Soon, the mother found a friend to talk to, and the boy slipped away. When eight o'clock arrived, the

spotlights came on, the audience quieted, and only then did they notice the boy up on the bench, innocently picking out "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star."

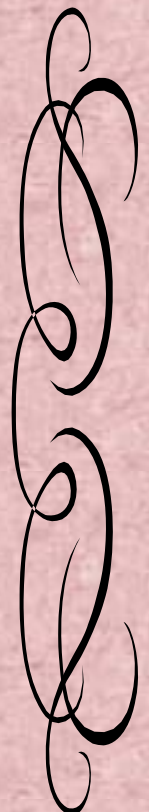
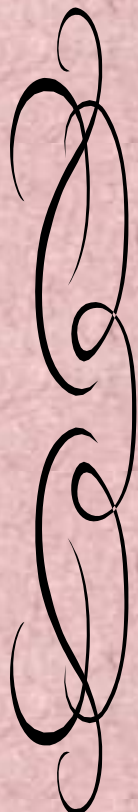
His mother gasped, but before she could retrieve her son, the master appeared on the stage and quickly moved to the keyboard.

"Don't quit—keep playing," he whispered to the boy. Leaning over, Paderewski reached down with his left hand and began filling in a bass part. Soon his right arm reached around the other side, encircling the child, to add a running obbligato. Together, the old master and the young novice held the crowd mesmerized.

As parents, we can see in this story how we do what we can and turn our children over to the Master. Jesus is our Master and He surrounds our children and whispers in their ear, time and again, "Don't quit—keep playing." As parents, the most important thing we can give to our children is a relationship with Christ. It is our duty to keep our children attuned to the leading of the Master. If you are a mother still raising your children, keep pointing them to Christ and you—and they—will be more than blessed.

Where would many of us be without our mother who are Christ's followers?

Thank you, Mom!
Happy Mother's Day.



May Events Happening at HCCC

DCC Graduation

Friday, May 7th

Valley View Christian Church

17601 Marsh Ln.

Dallas 75287

Come, support and show...

Rob Courtney

...how very proud we are of him as he graduates from Dallas Christian College.

Mother—Daughter Banquet

Sat., May 8th at 6:30 p.m.

Make a memory with your mother...or daughter at this lovely event!



Graduate Sunday

Sunday, May 16th

We honor:

Rob Courtney

Melanie Morrison

Roselyn Baah

Stephen Olday

Commemorate this special occasion with us.

Reception to follow.



Thank You from the W.I.N.G.S. Ladies Group!

Thank you, ladies for your wonderful response to our need for items for the JPS Hospital Donation Program. We do this every February, so start collecting these items. They are so much appreciated.

Also, donations were made to Cornerstone Assistance Network. These items of clothing, shoes, jewelry

and purses are to be given to women who have finished Job Corp Training and are ready to find a job.

Quilts, baby crib blankets and throws donated to the Ronald McDonald House are to be given to the families staying there. Check our bulletin board for letters of appreciation from them.

Donations Outreach Serves:

JPS Hospital

Cornerstone Assistance Network

Ronald McDonald House

Prayer Concerns

Cancer: Ola Bell, Paul Booth, Jimmy Collins, Judy Fisher, Gracie, Gil Harmon, Jim Hatten, Kathleen Kennedy, Beth Leeck, Linda Madden, Phyllis McLain, Lori Morrison, Nate, Gina Rollins, Rick Smith, Stephanie Smith, Julia Waldie, Larry Wilshire

General Health: Robin Biles, Dean and Harlan Cary, Nith and Sao Chouchantharat, Cal Donaghe, J.W. Downs, Colleen Elliott, Riley Emmons, Louise Garland (David Booth's mom), Jo Kemp, Carroll Kennedy, Wayne Kolkman, Wendy Labelle, Joe Leadabrand, Tommy Null, Jane Perry, Becki Pino, Mildred Ragsdale, David Reed, Jerrie Reynolds, Cecil Rollins, Lois Taylor, Ottis Taylor, Sue Wells

Other: Vanessa Austin, Richard Avina, David Chestnut (job), Chouchantharat family, Kids taking TAKS test, Youth carrying on God's Word and work, Graduates' future plans made with God's guidance

God's Protection: Biles' grandsons, Keith Huffstuttler and Tim Leach in Afghanistan, Cassandra Scott, Health and Prosperity of our Church, Christians in Thailand Refugee Camp, 40 Days of Prayer

Grieving: Duncan family, Sarah Ferrara family, Melvin family, Dr. Alan Pickering's family (his sister), Bruce Rosecran family (J.W.'s son-in-law), Arthur Maddox

family (J.W.'s brother-in-law)

Missions: Christian Camp of the Living Word; Church Growth Ministries. Colegio Biblico; Cornerstone Assistance Network; Dallas Christian College; International Student Missions; MBC Ministries; Mid-Cities Pregnancy Center; Conexión 180^m and Rogelio Lira

Church Leadership: Randy Grosenbach, Dr. Alan Pickering, Patrice Morrison, Rob Courtney, Jay Leeck, Mike Morrison, J. W. Downs, Eli Douglas, Jim Hatten, Robert Labelle, Pungram Ngatzu, Tom Snider, Allen Wright, Cody Elliott, Don Olday, George Jones

May Birthdays

2nd—Wayne Kolkman

4th—Makalah Grosenbach

5th—Samantha Page

6th—Renee Peacock

7th—Lynette Leeck

7th—Dale Niskern

8th—Zimi Agu

10th—Grayson Elliott

10th—Roy Wederbrook

11th—Joe Leadabrand

11th—Albert Yin

13th—Zoe Ngatzu

14th—Sue Thomas

16th—Nicholas Snider

26th—Pat Garner

27th—Debbie Niskern

31st—Seinko Theinkang

31st—Melanie Morrison

May Anniversaries

—May 6th—Stan and Debbie Doyle



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Our Vision— Communicate God's Word—Matthew 28:18-20

Our Mission— To provide for the spiritual, physical, emotional and social needs of our community by training the HCCC family through Bible study, song, fellowship and teaching, that they may dedicate themselves to carrying the Word of Christ to all they meet.

Church Staff:

Minister: Randy Grosenbach
Youth Intern: Rob Courtney
Music Director: Patrice Morrison
Church Secretary—Edye Baldrige

Elders:

Jay Leeck, Mike Morrison
Eli Douglas, J. W. Downs

Deacons:

Jim Hatten, Robert Labelle, Tom Snider, Pungram Ngatzu, Allen Wright, Cody Elliott, Don Olday, George Jones

Pastoral Counseling

Individual, Marriage, Family Counseling
Dr. Alan Pickering, M.A. MFT, M Div., D. Min.
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Conexión 180°

Hispanic Ministry
Minister: Rogelio Lira

Worship Service & Activities

Sunday

9:30 am—Sunday School (all ages)
10:30 am—Worship Service
1:30 pm—Conexión 180°
5:00 pm—Adult Choir
6-7:30 pm—*Revolution* Youth Group

Monday

9:30 am—Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday

6:30 pm—Elliott Home Bible Study
7:00 pm—Morrison Bible Study
7:30 pm—Conexión 180° Bible Study
at the church